

Docket No.: 5077-000069/US/DVA (PATENT)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Kenya Uomori et al.

Application No.: 10/617,198

Confirmation No.: 3517

Filed: July 10, 2003

Art Unit: 2875

For: Range Finder, Three-Dimensional Measuring

Method And Light Source Apparatus

Examiner: J. Y. Choi

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.